

Slavery speech

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Title	Slavery speech
Date	circa 1865
Extent	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
Language	English
Text [Folder]	S2582

Preferred Citation

Slavery speech, Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library

Historical Note

The author of the speech and is not identified. The subject matter suggests it was written some time after the Civil War, some place in Indiana.

Scope and Contents

The item appears to have been handwritten hastily in pencil on a sheet of paper. The fragment is 8 3/4" in height and 8" in width. The top portion of the page is torn.

Transcription of fragment: "... Slavery ...and the ... would have perished beneath the weight of its own crime again[s]t humanity. And when we raise a column to perpetuate the glory of the Indiana Sold[i]ery in the war for the perpetuity of the nation, we should at lea[s]t consecrate the pedestal to the memory of our fathers who in peace made Indiana forever ['forever' is inserted in superscript by means of a caret] free."

On the reverse of the document is pencilled "Slavery ... 2"

Arrangement

This collection includes one item.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research. The item has been flagged as fragile and encapsulated.

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Speeches, addresses, etc.

Geographic Name(s)

- Indiana

Subject(s)

- Slavery